

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	)	Art Unit: 3781
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McGeough et al.	)	Examiner: Eloshway, Niki Marina
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Application No.: 10/599,249	)	Confirmation No.: 6227
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Filed: March 24, 2005	)	
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Atty. Docket No.: 44257.0005	)	
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Title: "CLOSURE WITH INTEGRAL GAS	)	
BARRIER"	)	

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REPLY TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION  
(37 CFR §1.142)**

Dear Sir:

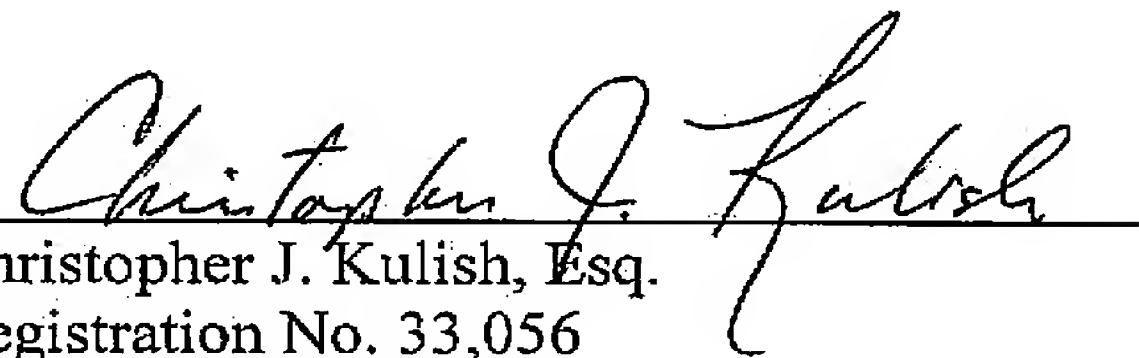
In an Office Action dated April 1, 2010, the Office issued a requirement of restriction requiring that the application be restricted to a single invention among several allegedly independent or distinct inventions identified in the Action as Groups I-III.

The undersigned attorney, on behalf of the assignee, elects the invention of Group II, which is embodied in claims 29-42 and 47-51.

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In the event that a petition for extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a) is required to have this reply considered and such a petition does not otherwise accompany this reply, please consider this a petition for an extension of time for the required number of months and authorization to debit Deposit Account 50-4902 for the required fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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